

The President announced his intention to nominate Anne E. Derse to be Ambassador to Azerbaijan.

The President announced his intention to nominate Robert S. Ford to be Ambassador to Algeria.

The President announced his intention to nominate Mark V. Rosenker to be Chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate Leslie V. Rowe to be Ambassador to Papua New Guinea, the Solomon Islands, and Vanuatu.

The President announced his intention to nominate Daniel S. Sullivan to be Assistant Secretary of State for Economic and Business Affairs.

The President announced his intention to appoint Craig J. Duchossois and Robert Pacheco as members of the Board of Visitors to the U.S. Naval Academy.

#### **April 14**

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

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### **Nominations Submitted to the Senate**

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NOTE: No nominations were submitted to the Senate during the period covered by this issue.

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### **Checklist of White House Press Releases**

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The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

#### **Released April 10**

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary: Visit of Prime Minister Fuad Siniora of Lebanon

Statement by the Press Secretary: Visit of President Ilham Aliyev of Azerbaijan

#### **Released April 11**

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 1259, S. 2116, and S. 2120

Fact sheet: Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage: Enroll Now and Start Saving

#### **Released April 12**

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary: President Bush To Welcome German Chancellor Merkel

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Arkansas

#### **Released April 13**

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.J. Res. 81 and H.J. Res. 82

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Kansas

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Oklahoma

Fact sheet: The President's Small Business Agenda: Helping Entrepreneurs Prosper

#### **Released April 14**

Announcement: President and Mrs. Bush Release 2005 Tax Return

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### **Acts Approved by the President**

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#### **Approved April 11**

H.R. 1259 / Public Law 109-213

To award a congressional gold medal on behalf of the Tuskegee Airmen, collectively, in